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BY SPECIAL MESSENGER

Rear Admiral R. H. Hillenkoetter  
Director, Central Intelligence Agency  
Room 7135, North Interior Building  
18th and F Street, Northwest  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Admiral Hillenkoetter:

I received your letter of November 30, 1948, together with the memorandum from [redacted] dated November 29, 1948, which you enclosed. I want to thank both [redacted] and you for your most favorable comments with reference to the assistance and cooperation which this Bureau has been privileged to render the Central Intelligence Agency in matters of mutual interest. [redacted] most gracious observations with reference to the work of former Special Agent John Doherty and Special Agent Cartha Deloach are particularly gratifying to me. You may be sure that it is always a pleasure to be of service to your organization and I do hope you will not hesitate to call on me at any time.

With kind regards,

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Sincerely yours,

/s/J. Edgar Hoover

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30 November 1948

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
U. S. Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

25X1 [redacted] who is shortly to be detached from this organization, has forwarded to me the enclosed memorandum with the request that it be forwarded to the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Would you please allow me to add my own personal appreciation to that of [redacted] for the assistance and cooperation the Central Intelligence Agency has always received from the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Very sincerely,

Signed & disp 11/30 thru DD & ER

R. H. Hillenkoetter  
Rear Admiral, USN  
Director of Central  
Intelligence

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Director

25X1 [redacted] ADSO

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Addressee - w/Orig. of ADSO memo, 11/29

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